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<i>Inventor:</i>	Stephen F. Badylak		
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on August 20, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and consideration of the accompanying remarks. Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to file this response, extending the due date for response to December 20, 2008. The period for response was set to expire on November 20, 2008. Please charge the one-month extension fee for a large entity under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1) to our Barnes & Thornburg LLP Deposit Account No. 10-0435. Applicants believe that no other fees are required with this amendment. If other fees are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the same to the account of Barnes & Thornburg LLP, Deposit Account No. 10-0435, with reference to our matter 3220-73985.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.